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No! Where is that?

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For deep or shallow
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A good Team of
Roadster Mares and
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sale cheap and on easy
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We sell at the lowest possible

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If we were so disposed we could

put in a stock of shoddy factory

goods that we could sell at prices

away down, but we are here to

star, and will sell nothing that we

cannot guarantee as first class.

Call and see our stock, and you

will be convinced that ours is the

place for genuine bargains.

Call and inspect my stock of

MILLINERY

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Call at

Mrs. Graham's

for first class Millinery, latest styles

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West then they were in Scotland.

The report goes on to show that the

Killarney settlement, in Manitoba,

continues to develop satisfactorily,

and that the settlers are in a better

position than it would be possible

for them to be in Scotland. The

position of the Killarney settlement,

the report says, is less satisfactory,

but still the colony is self-support-

ing.

THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

The results of the two bye-elec-

tions for the Ontario Legislature in

the ridings of North Bruce and

East Lambton proved quite a sur-

prise to the Mowat government,

which received good majorities in

both constituencies at the general

election three years ago. East

Lambton returned McCallum, Pro-

testant Protective association, and

independent candidate, by 375

majority, while North Bruce elect-

ed McNaughton, Patrons of Industry

candidate, by over 559 majority.

Correspondence.

Our columns are open to all for the

expression of public questions. Per-

sonalities will not be permitted. We

do not hold our correspondents re-

sponsible for the opinions expressed

by correspondents.

To the Editor of The Progress.

Dear Sir,—As I believe you will

be always welcome to give space in

your valuable journal to anything

which pertains to the advancement

of the North-West Territories, may

I ask you to re-produce a portion

of a letter written by the regular

correspondent of The Daily Sun,

published at St. John, New Bruns-

wick, which I think sets forth in a

special good manner what the

North-West Territories have been

doing at the World's Columbian

Exposition, which was as follows:

"Now for something concerning

the North-West Territories, which

has had a good showing here among

the Canadian exhibits, and whose

interests have been zealously look-

ed after by Senator Perley, formerly

of Sanbury Co., N.B., who some

years ago made his home in the

North-West when it first commenced

to come into prominence.

In the Forestry building was a

small exhibit of spruce, pine, tamar-

ac, birch, poplar, maple and other

small woods, which were of fair size

and good quality, showing that the

settlement in the new and progressive

part of the dominion can find fuel,

fencing, building material, etc., in

good quantities and at reasonable

a nice showing in native and culti-

vated fruits, preserved and in a

natural state, which should, if

nothing else would do it, disarm

one as to the ideas which prevail

in many quarters that this is a

snow and ice bound region and non-

productive. A very good display

was also made of vegetables, such

as potatoes, carrots, beets, onions,

squash, peas and beans. For potato

raising it is hard to surpass this

section of the Dominion. There

was also a nice showing of corn in

the ear, the whole giving one naugh-

t but good impressions of the fertility

of the soil in this part of Canada.

In the Fishery building also was

an exhibit of whitefish, pike, etc.,

from the Qu'Appelle and Long Lake,

which were very attractive, and

this class of fish abounds extensively

A LATTER DAY GHOST.

I believe in ghosts. Great Cæsar's ghost, that Brutus saw on the eve of the battle of Philippi, answer me. The earliest remembrance I have of supernatural things is the riding in the Bible of the ghost of Samuel, which appeared to the witch of Endor, thereby frightening her nearly out of her own wits, for she knew she was quite incapable of producing spirits herself, and was washed clean of her own greater power present than her own. Besides that, we have had all kinds of ghostly experiences in our own family. When my brother-in-law's cousin's husband lay on his deathbed there came three cracks of a whip over the looking glass, which instantly was shattered from center to circumference, and, as the nurse declared, "you could have walked on that glass and it wouldn't have cracked." And when my great uncle died the clock stopped of its own accord, and could never be coaxed to go again.

There are three, I know, who will say that the three cracks of the whip were primary to the cracking of the glass from natural causes, and that the old clock ran down, being worn with age. But as it says, we all have a yearning for the supernatural, and would rather keep our superstitions in their unearthly habitations as evidence of the vague world of mysticism, whence they stray for brief visits to frighten or instruct us. But I did have a serious fright from a ghostly apparition which my Scotch blood at once pronounced a "fitch," and it is just as near the supernatural world as I care to touch until I become a ghost myself and play pranks on my own account.

The ghost in question first appeared at a seaside resort—a farmhouse where they seek out their scanty means by taking summer boarders. There my young friend, Kate Ellen, went after the death of a friend of an aunt, to whom she had been bound as laundress to her wheel. As soon as Kate found herself free to enjoy life on the coast, the aunt was obliged to leave her, and she became morose on the subject of her duty to the deceased.

"If I had only been kinder to her, done more for her, made her life more pleasant," she wailed.

In vain we told her that she had done everything that could be due to comfort or satisfaction of an old woman, and she should now enjoy a well-earned rest—she would invariably return to her self-accusations until she finally lost her health. Then it was that we prevailed upon her to go down to the seashore, to this isolated spot, and live out of doors.

She had been away a month when I received a letter, summoning me to her side. She was ill, and so changed I hardly recognized her.

"It does not agree with you here. It is too lonely. You must come home with me," I said eagerly.

"Mum," she said in a faint, hollow voice, "I have seen a ghost."

"I stared at her without uttering a word. 'It is true. The spirit of the dead can come back. I have seen her twice—she looked angelic—all in lovely white—with a veil over her like a bride.'"

"Hushed about that. That, however, a strange aunt of hers appearing in such a guise was too much for me. But I saw how dead in earnest poor Kate was, and I tried to be serious."

"How did she appear to you, Kate? In a dream?" I asked, as I moved round her on the beach in the farmhouse garden where we could talk unobserved.

"No, dear, I saw her in her form, in the clothes-clones of the room I sleep in. You know spirits conform to certain psychological conditions—she could not come through the door, so she attracted my attention to her. Each night an indescribable sound like a clap of distant thunder awakened me. No one else heard it, I learned from inquiry of the family."

"Did she talk to you? Do you mean to tell me that she spoke to you, Kate? I asked incredulously."

"That is the dreadful thing about it! I had not the courage to look at her a moment, or to hear her speak. I saw a reproachful look on her poor, white face, and I—oh, Maria! must have fainted, for when I awoke it was daylight, and she was gone. There was no one in the room."

"You imagined the whole thing. I said, out of patience with so much expectation."

"But she came again the next night. I was determined that I would be strong and ask her to forgive me for all the trouble I had caused her, but I was alone and so awfully afraid. It was morning before I dared to open the door of the closet and find her."

"She shuddered and looked around fearfully."

"And then?" I prompted.

"Then I felt stronger and opened the door. Yes, she was there in such a marvellously beautiful dress, and she said, reproachful look on her face, and before I could speak she melted away from my sight."

"Melting?"

"Yes, dematerialized. It just seemed as if she vanished through the floor and I fainted again."

"You poor child," I cried sympathizingly, "I will sleep in that room tonight, and you shall take the one they have reserved for me. I believe perfectly in the theory of ghosts, but when it comes to their actual presence, I am not so sure. However, I would be glad to see Aunt Selma. You know I always detested her, and I am a good hater, but if she comes back to be forgiven, I'm not sure but that I will forgive her."

"Don't, dear, you hurt me," said Kate weakly.

"I hurt for your healing," I responded: "I thought, then, that you were on your feet, by the way, are you quite sure this is not a prank of some one in the house? Have you mentioned the circumstances?"

"Not to a mortal except yourself. I do not want to be the laughing stock of the house. It is not given to everyone to see the spirits of the departed."

"Thank goodness!" I ejaculated fervently, and then I became suddenly quiet as I studied the white face of my friend and tried to apprehend the truth.

"Yes, I may as well own it. It was one thing to sit in open air in the sunlight and hear a story about ghosts, and another thing to be alone in a strange house at the time when the powers of darkness are abroad, and expect to see one. It was no proof that there were not ghosts because I had never seen one. My Scotch ancestors had been gifted with second sight—why not I? None! They lived in a superstitious age, and imagined things which would never have come into the mind of a modern man."

"I took my courage by the throat and dared it to forsake me."

"Yes, and I, too, was awakened by that sound of distant thunder! I had felt the light burning, and looking at my watch I found that it was midnight. I concluded someone was up in the house and then I distinctly heard a sound in the closet—wager, muffled, muffled sound! I never was so wide awake in my life! And I was determined then and there to penetrate the mystery, even if I perished in the attempt."

"Frightened? Oh, no, no, indeed! I sat up with an aching head, but that was excitement, I told myself."

"What did I expect?"

"To confront a bodiless spirit, an entity, the shadow of a substance, an unskilled mimic, a vapor, something that neither rested in the grave nor dwelt in paradise—dare I open a door between two worlds and take this thing of wonder?"

"Then I thought of Aunt Selma, who kept everything uncomfortable while she was in this world, and was now exorcising her mission by the same disposition as of old. My thoughts took a more wholesome and natural turn. I would frustrate the old dame if I could."

"I laid my hands on the knob of the closet door. It shook as if someone stood on the other side, and the door began slowly to open."

I peeped. Good heavens! A woman stood there, and if it wasn't Aunt Selma, it looked enough like her to be that antique specimen, even to the widow's weeds, which I saw by that glance she still wore. Strange to say, I was not as much frightened as I expected to be, or else I was too badly frightened to know it, and, in that half-conscious condition, I pulled open the closet door to its fullest extent, and facing me a black-robed apparition shrieked aloud:

"Well, Aunt Selma, what do you want?"

For a full minute we stared at each other, then I began to laugh hysterically, and soon I heard Kate and members of the family pounding on the door. I admitted them, and pointing to the ghost, which had not yet evaporated, asked tragically:

"What does this mean?"

"Aunt Selma!" gasped Kate.

"Pointing to the kind, I said, dragging the widow's bonnet and veil from the black clad figure, 'look!'"

"Please be careful," said a sharp-voiced woman, stepping in to the rescue: "we do dressmaking and that's my mammy. I don't want that new suit of mourning spoiled."

"How did your dummy get into that closet?"

"Oh, there used to be a dumb-waiter there when we kept hotel. I had a wedding dress on it the last two nights, and now this mourning! I just ran 'em up to keep 'em from being handled."

"At the risk of frightening your borders out of their senses. You can have your closet and room both, as we are going back to town as soon as it is light."

Which we did, and I am not sure that we were not both disappointed at the tame denouement to our nineteenth century ghost story: which after all does not explode the theory, though it does show how much imagination may do in outlining ghostly features.

AT WORK ON THE IRON HIGHWAY.

Congo Natives Have at Last Consented to Help Build the Railroad.

Major Thys, who is in charge of building the Congo Railroad, sent a letter home to Brussels, a short time ago, that excited much surprise. He said that the Congo natives themselves had at last consented to show much interest in the iron highway which they had hitherto regarded with indifference.

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A NEW KIND OF BUTTER.

Something Novel Being Placed on the Market.

A New Product to be Greatly Increased.

But Unfortunately the Article Produced is Not Butter, But Simply Look Like It.

The other day in a snugly furnished office, in the business block, Thurston, with evidence about his furnishings of his occupant's aesthetic taste, sat a young man, whose mind, it would seem, however, does not dwell always upon pictures and draperies, but upon the business of the day.

He was Mr. Douglas A. Thurston, who, although still a man probably under 30 years, has filed a claim as the benefactor of the farmers of this and every other country on the continent, for a little invention of which he advertises himself the patentee and manager. According to his business card, "Thurston's new butter process will make two to three times the amount of butter that can be made by any other method yet invented, no chemicals or extra machinery required."

In asking the butter-producer to examine this new process, which, although the product of Mr. Thurston's ingenuity, is being pushed by Messrs. Thurston and Charles Ralston, the first further details in their advertisement that while the old method produces four pounds of butter per 100 pounds of milk, their invention will make eight pounds from the same quantity.

For fear the unpalatable butter-producer may not realize what this means in a year, figures are supplied to show that it will increase the revenue from one ordinary cow by \$83 per year, or an average monthly increase of \$7 over the old method, while for a factory turning out 100 gallons of milk per day the new process brings a gain of \$1,500 per year. Then there is an appeal in general terms for favor and the adoption of the beneficent discovery, in which all the golden results are declared to be obtainable "with an ordinary churn, good, pure milk and no chemicals whatever."

When The Globe reporter called to see Mr. Thurston he cordially received him, and inquired about the process, which he explained in a full explanation of the plan of putting it before the farmers. He took it for granted that the reporter was an applicant for an agency and asked the reporter which he could offer agents.

The invention, he said, is simply a process unaided by any piece of new machinery or any new utensils. He was reticent with regard to the nature of the process, but there was no secret about it, and he would give a temperature of the milk or cream. The thing which is to be sold to the farmers is a piece of paper, upon which the manner of treating the milk is printed.

BUSINESS ONLY THE BEGINNING.

The patent was only issued in July last, its initial stage, and the business is only in its infancy. Only a few agencies, he said, have been established, but he expects soon to have the Province covered with salesmen. He sells township or county rights, or rather the plan is to set apart a locality and sell the rights to a few agencies, which must be paid for in advance. If he is to be the price to the agent is \$87, then the farmer will be asked to pay \$3.50 apiece for them, and they will be each good for one cow for one year. The cost for a township is \$100,000, and he would like to sell as far as the newspaper man could figure it out, they didn't seem particularly favorable for anybody except Messrs. Thurston & Ralston, unless the farmers are more easily persuaded than the salesmen, then they should be after their experience with past bonanzas.

Mr. Thurston seemed to be positive he could do all that he claims for his process. "I will submit to any test," he said, "I do not want anyone to pay me a dollar until I have shown what I can do by actual demonstration."

But his hitherto was about quantity and weight, and when he was asked about the quality of his product, he said he would defy anyone, even an expert, to tell the difference between the old and the new process. He even smiled about it, and then admitted that the product of his process would be sold as "Thurston's pure milk butter," and would likely sell at a couple of cents less. This, however, he explained was not because his process was inferior, but because of the users of his invention were to sell their product at the same price as butter made by the old method. "The old style butter is in the market," he said, "and it is going to be the business inside of a year."

It was open to the interviewer to suggest that these conservative ones might be induced to go in for Thurston's new process if they were not asked to sell the old style, but he remained in silent admiration of the philanthropy which the youthful inventor had disclosed, though it might be conceived upon a mistaken basis.

SOME DETAILS OF THE PROCESS.

He spoke more freely as the interview was prolonged. His process, he said, gathers up all the solids of the milk and retains them along with the butter fat. In other words, they go to each dairyman how to make something that looks like butter, but is not butter. It may be "Thurston's pure milk butter," whatever that may be, and whatever that may be worth. And if farmers understand Messrs. Thurston & Ralston's process, they will not be deceived, and the government will have to step in and see that the public are no more open to fraud from "Thurston's pure milk butter" than from "Thurston's pure milk butter."

Mr. Thurston has already been brought into the courts by an applicant for an agency, who put up his money and then could not make the formula of temperatures perform its work. In explaining his position in this case, Mr. Thurston said, "The case is a simple one. I have a patent for a process of making butter, and it was an agent's own fault if there was the mistake of even a degree, as so small a variation as that would spoil the process."

As has been said, the new process will be a fraud upon those who purchase the right to use it if they perfectly well understand that it is to make butter, but it is to make something that looks like butter, but is not butter. The Government may probably step in and see that the public are no more open to fraud from "Thurston's pure milk butter" than from "Thurston's pure milk butter."

THE CASE IN COURT.

The process was ventilated in the Toronto Police Court last week through an action for fraud brought by W. J. Kearns against Messrs. Thurston and Ralston.

Kearns, the complainant, says he met Thurston at the Toronto Fair. Thurston was representing a new process, and 12 pounds of butter could be made from 100 pounds of milk. By the old process only four pounds were made. Thurston tried to get him to take the agency for Peterboro'

County. The plan was this: Thurston had the process patented. He would sell Kearns licenses at \$1.25 each, with the formula for making the butter. Kearns could sell the licenses to farmers in his county at an increased figure, and thereby make something out of it for himself. The latter said he would take twenty licenses, and went to Peterboro' for the money. In the meantime Kearns said he had a letter from Thurston, saying that he would not sell less than 50 licenses, and wanted him to take \$50.

Kearns returned to Toronto on October 12, and met Thurston. He would not pay the money over until he had seen the process put into practice, but deposited the money with a friend in the city. He went to Thurston's house at 81 O'Hara avenue, and there met Ralston.

He says Thurston took a gallon of milk and put it in a small tin, and then when they were going to take out the butter, either by accident or intent, the churn was overturned, and the contents emptied all over the floor.

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CHAPTER IV.

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"There is something more," says Terry, "wretchedly. Will nothing touch him, hurt him, offend him? Has he no pride? Will nothing send him away?"

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YOUNG FOLKS.

The Little Girl with a Company Face.

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PICTURES OF MATABLES.

Types of the People Who Have Just Had Some Bitter Experiences.

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ALLIGATORS AND CROCODILES.

Where These Hideous Creatures Attain Their Greatest Growth—Legislation in Florida to Prohibit Their Destruction.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

In appearance an about diamond rearm bles a piece of fine gum arabic.

A fast bowler delivers a cricket ball at the speed of a mile a minute. The annual consumption of wine in France averages 23 gallons for each person.

Russet shoes can be polished by rubbing them with the inside of a banana skin or tomato. A snake, just discovered in Brazil, has tusks like a bear, and a two-foot horn ornaments its forehead.

The first map ever seen in England was brought there by Bartholomew Columbus the brother of Christopher. An inclined elevator, for passengers, of the plan of a treadmill, is proposed as a substitute for the present vertical ones.

A ball that recently closed its career in Philadelphia slaughter-house, had in its stomach a door hinge, a Masonic emblem, and part of a rat-trap.

The skins of most plums are indigestible, and should never be eaten. They cause fermentation in the stomach, and other serious derangements.

Collecting butterflies is the hobby of Baron Fieldler, of Austria. He finds the fun quite profitable, too. He recently sold a collection to Lord Rothschild for \$25,000.

The richest community in the States according to population, is said to be that of Brooklyn, Mass. This town has a population of 13,000, and property valued at \$62,000,000.

Four children at a birth—two boys and two girls. This is the record of the wife of A. E. Pitman, of Henderson County, Ky. The mother is a little woman, weighing only seventy-five pounds.

Useful as well as ornamental accomplishments are possessed by the Countess of Russett. She makes much of the clothing worn by her children, and trims all of their hats. In millinery she is dexterous and useful.

Beer was made by the Egyptians several centuries before the Christian era. These pharaohs, it is said, were very fond of beer, and it was one of the principal articles of their diet.

Over fifty kinds of bars are now used in the manufacture of paper. Even banana skins, pea vines, coconut fiber, hay, straw, water weeds, leaves, shavings, cornhusks, and hop plants are used for the same purpose.

Numerous descendants make happy the "clinging vine" of Mrs. Rowena Harpy, of Illinois. She is 87 years old, was married at the age of 14, is the mother of 17 children, has 57 grand children, and 29 great-grand children.

August Dubeck, of Clinton, Mass., during a dispute with his wife, became heated with anger. To cool himself, he hurriedly drank a glass of beer. He at once lost the power of speech and hearing, and so continued for a week.

The first opium-smokers were the natives of Java. They mixed the drug with their tobacco, and from them the Chinese learned the habit. After a time the Chinese introduced the opium alone, and the effect proved more pleasurable than when both ingredients were used.

A little financial trouble, which caused the closing of a bank in Arizona, is accounted for by this notice posted on the bank doors: "This bank is closed because the people \$30,000, the people owe it \$35,000; it is the people who are busted; when they pay, we'll pay."

Town & Country Cullings.

—It was 34 below zero on Friday last.

—Lieutenant-Governor Boyd, of New Brunswick, is dead.

—Mr. George Hudson was down from Touchwood on Saturday.

—Mr. W. S. Redpath and bride returned from Moosomin on Friday last.

—Mr. J. P. Hutchison, of the Moosomin Spectator, was in town on Monday and gave us a friendly call.

—Rev. Mr. Holmes went to Whitewood on Saturday last. He takes temporary charge of the church there.

—Professor Tyndall, the great scientist, succumbed to a long illness at his home in Haslemere, Surrey, Eng., on Monday last.

—Our readers will be sorry to learn that Bishop Burn has for several days been confined to the house with influenza.

—There was a meeting of the Council of the Municipality of South Qu'Appelle held in the Council Chamber on Monday last. The minutes will be published next week.

—Aspirants for the honor of representing Eastern Assiniboia in the Dominion Parliament at the next election are very numerous in the eastern part of the riding, in fact the number is unknown.

—Mr. John Shelley, B.A., left on Tuesday night for England, where he will take a year's course in a theological college, returning at the end of that time to the work of the church in the North-West.

—Friday's express from the west was considerably delayed by deep snow in the Rocky Mountains. Part of the train belonged to the naval transport, the blue jackets being from Her Majesty's ship Champion.

—Special services for Advent and Christmas will be held in St. Peter's Cathedral. On Sundays the Bishop will preach on the four last things—Death, Judgment, Heaven, and Hell. The Vicar has also chosen special subjects for discourse.

—On Thursday evening last, the Rev. A. Andrews gave a magic lantern entertainment in the school. It was attended by a number of the children of the town, who were deeply interested in the views Mr. Andrews put through the lantern for their edification.

—In his reminiscences of the North-West rebellion, contributed to the United Service Gazette, General Middleton says that at the first parade of the Ninetieth at Qu'Appelle he went down the ranks and questioned each man. He says he found that many of them had never fired a rifle, and that some had never fired a weapon of any kind.

—Mrs. Oiler went to Winnipeg on Friday's train to join her husband who has been residing in that city for some months. Her father also resides in Winnipeg being a partner in the firm of W. Pollock & Co., jewellers. Mrs. Oiler has made Qu'Appelle her home for a number of years, was president of the Women's Guild, and in other ways identified herself with the work of St. Peter's Church.

—Last week a poor German arrived in town. He was making his way from Edmonton to Winnipeg to see his wife who was living there sick. Father Roy considered his case deserving and took it in hand. He explained the unfortunate man's condition to the citizens, who subscribed sufficient to pay his railway fare to Winnipeg. Father Roy wishes to express his thanks to all who assisted the needy man out of his unfortunate predicament.

—The action for libel brought against Mr. Richardson, managing editor of the Winnipeg Tribune by Mr. A. W. Ross, M.P., has been dismissed. The magistrate said he had read and re-read the alleged libel, or the article claimed to be libellous and he failed to see where there was a libel, on which being brought before a jury the defendant could be convicted. He therefore felt it was his duty to dismiss the case.

—Hugh McMillan, who on Wednesday last was remanded on a charge of stealing a fur coat and quilt, the property of Mr. James Fair, was again brought up on Friday, and his case was sent up for trial by a superior court. The young man, Wm. Robinson, who was also implicated, was dismissed. McMillan was also charged with stealing a coat and horse blankets, belonging to Mr. T. W. Carroll. Mr. Wm. Broder, J.P., sat with Mr. H. Gibson, J.P., on this case, and the prisoner was sentenced to two weeks in jail with hard labor. At the expiration of this time he will be let out on bail, himself in \$200 and Mr. A. H. B. Spertling and Mr. Wm. Sides \$100 each.

—Mr. W. J. Davidson has purchased a car load of Hungarian and Strong Bakers flour from the Lake of the Woods Milling Co. He expects it to arrive here about the first of the week, when he will offer it for sale at low prices, and make special rates to farmers taking lots of ten bags or over.

—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments: To be Justices of the Peace—William Thomas Rhyth, of Wapella, Assiniboia; Christian Schantz, of Wapella, Assiniboia; Thomas Ellis, of Jumping Pond, Alberta; Inspector Edward Gouverneur Ogden Hopkins, of the North-West Mounted Police Force. To be Commissioners for taking affidavits—Geo. Birchall, solicitor, of London, England; Richard Carney Laurie, of Battleford, Saskatchewan. The resignation of William John Holt Morrison, of Grenfell, Assiniboia, as a Justice of the Peace for the North-West Territories has been accepted by His Honor the Lieut.-Governor.

McLEAN.

The first meeting of the Debating Club will take place here on Wednesday, the 13th, and we expect to have a crowded hall.

Mr. R. Miller, from Bell Plain, returned a few days ago, and is the guest of J. H. Plant.

We understand that Mr. R. Cowan is going to reside here during winter.

Our postmaster is having lots of fresh air these nights, acting station house to catch mail trains that are four and five hours late.

INQUEST AT QU'APPELLE.

On Friday last, an inquiry was held before Mr. R. J. Molloy, coroner, as to the cause of death of an infant, which died suddenly at the C.P.R. Section House on the previous day. The following were sworn as jurymen: J. P. Beauchamp (foreman), John A. Cowan, Angus Raymond, W. H. Bell, A. E. Whiffin, and Samuel Tease. Dr. Carthew was sworn, and said he was called upon to make a post mortem examination upon the body of the infant. Dr. Bell and himself made the examination. They found evidence of disease of one lung. The child was weak and poorly nourished. Had there been evidence of smothering both lungs would have been equally congested. The disease of the one lung would be quite sufficient to cause sudden but not instantaneous death. He was not called upon to see the child alive. Dr. Bell entirely agreed with Dr. Carthew's evidence. C. B. Cory deposed to being the father of the child, which was in bed with him on the morning of its death. Witness was awake about 6.30, but he did not notice any sign of illness when he looked at the child. About half-past seven, when he had just got up, his wife discovered that the child was dead. He immediately sent Mr. Walker for the doctor. John Moriarty and Wm. Walker also gave testimony, the latter stating that to the best of his knowledge Mrs. Cory always treated the child as a mother should. The jury returned a verdict that the child died of congestion of the lungs. There was no blame attaching to Mr. and Mrs. Cory.

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MARRIAGE.

Hiers.—Date: On November 26th, at the residence of Albert A. M. Dale, South Qu'Appelle, by the Rev. E. T. Carter, Frederick William Hiers, of Elbow, to Grace, second daughter of Albert A. M. and Caroline M. Dale.

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NEW SOUTHERN COAL COMPANY.

It will be of interest to many to learn that a move is being made with a view to the full development of one of the most promising locations in the South coal district. A company is being incorporated under the ordinance of the North-West Territories to purchase the Hassard mine and carry on an extensive coal business. The organizers of the company are: D. C. Cameron and Richard Hall, of Rat Portage; A. Cockburn, of Winnipeg; T. Thompson, Oxbow, and Hugh Hassard, the present owner of the property. The present workings show an eight foot vein of solid coal, and as the work of it is more systematically and scientifically carried on, further deposits will not doubt be discovered. It is said that rare and valuable clay are found in layers contiguous to the coal seams.

Qu'Appelle Observatory.

Reading of the thermometer for the week ending Tuesday, December 5th.

	Maximum.	Minimum.
Wednesday, Nov. 29	-16	-22
Thursday, Nov. 30	-20	-27
Friday, Dec. 1	-5	-24
Saturday, Dec. 2	3	-14
Sunday, Dec. 3	11	-17
Monday, Dec. 4	38	-1
Tuesday, Dec. 5	4	-12

WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY.

	6 A.M.	1 P.M.	6 P.M.
Wednesday	sw 10	sw 15	sw 12
Thursday	sw 5	sw 8	calm
Friday	sw 4	sw 8	sw 9
Saturday	sw 4	sw 15	calm
Sunday	sw 6	sw 10	sw 20
Monday	sw 35	sw 45	sw 18
Tuesday	calm	sw 7	sw 12

HE GOT FIVE YEARS.

William Riddle, of Chesterville, a youth seventeen years old, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for placing a railroad tie across the track of the Canadian Pacific at Chesterville on Halloween. He was assisted by a youngster named Wilfred Smith, who turned Queen's evidence and was the principal witness. It seems that Riddle, some time previous to the crime, had been discharged from the railway's employ.

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CHOP. CRUSHING done every Tuesday. TOLL taken if preferred. CHOP for Sale. Capacity 2,000 pounds per hour. H. L. ROYCE, Qu'Appelle Station. See 34, Tp. 18, R. 11.

COLTS FOR SALE. A GOOD General Purpose Team of COLT'S (1 for Sale (one mare and one horse) ranging three; sound and quiet and well broken. To be sold cheap for cash. Apply A. T. WHITNEY, Qu'Appelle. See 28, Tp. 18, R. 15.

MILK COWS FOR SALE. A few good MILK COWS for sale on reasonable terms. Apply, W. H. BELL, Qu'Appelle. C-5

PORK WANTED. THE highest market price paid for HOGS by W. H. BELL, Qu'Appelle.

SALE OF AN IMPOUNDED BULL. WILL be sold by Public Auction on the 2nd of December, 1899, at 1 o'clock p.m. on Section 16, Township 17, Range 7, West of Second Meridian, a White and Red BULL, about two years old; top broken on right horn and top of right ear. ALBERT SWITZER, November 22nd, 1899.

WANTED. WANTED, at once, for about three weeks, a BIRD BOY, \$1 per day. Apply, immediate, Qu'Appelle Station.

FOR SALE. THE STORE AND JEWELLERY of the Brydon Estate, Qu'Appelle Station, for sale. Store valued at \$200. Jewellery about \$500. The Jewellery consists of Clocks, Watches, Chains, Keys, Brooches, Gold Buttons, Gold Links, Rings, etc. Price named to be so much on the \$1. Can be seen on the premises at any time in Qu'Appelle Station. Apply to D. S. McCANNELL, Administrator.

IMPOUNDED. IMPOUNDED on Sec. 16, Tp. 17, R. 7, West of 2nd M., a white and red BULL, about two years old. Top broken off right horn, also top of right ear. ALBERT SWITZER

LOST.

TWO NOTES, dated on or about the first day of August last, one for \$40, due Jan. 1st, 1894, and one for \$35, due Jan. 1st, 1895, both in favor of Walter A. Wood and Co., and signed by Daniel Layton and David Raydon. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing the said notes. DAVIDSON & HASTINGS, Agents.

FOR SALE. HEAVY Yoke of Cattle, in prime condition, will be sold cheap. Apply, PIONEER OFFICE.

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Oregon	Donnerstag Line	Dec. 2
Labrador	"	Dec. 16
Vancouver	"	Dec. 30
Laurensburg	Aden Line	Nov. 18
Nordland	"	Dec. 9
Panama	"	Dec. 23
Mongolian	"	Jan. 6
Britannia	White Star Line	Nov. 15
Trenton	"	Nov. 22
Germanic	"	Nov. 29
Majestic	"	Dec. 6
New York	American Line	Nov. 22
Paris	"	Nov. 29
London	"	Dec. 6
New York	"	Dec. 13
State of Nebraska	Alta Line	Nov. 16
State of California	"	Dec. 7

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